

Application Serial No. 10/731,784
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REMARKS:

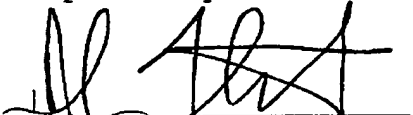
Applicant respectfully notes that the Examiner's restriction requirement has been rendered moot by the amendments to the claims. Nonetheless, Applicant provisionally elects the claims of Group II (claims 39-70) for further prosecution on the merits, should restriction still be deemed appropriate.

Applicants submit that the pending claims are in condition for allowance. An early indication thereof is respectfully solicited. The Examiner is respectfully requested to charge any fee deficiency due with this amendment, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-2583.

Respectfully submitted,

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